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### TALK OF THE TOWN

Rev. C. L. Bingham, pastor of the Universalist church in Northfield, was in the city yesterday to attend the monthly meeting of the Ministers' Monday club.

Mrs. Nella M. Roscoe of French street, who is at the head of the teacher training course in the city schools, has been called to Bradford by the illness of her mother.

The ladies' union of the Universalist church will hold a concert and dance in Howland hall Thursday evening, Dec. 13; dance and concert, \$1; ladies, 35 cents.—adv.

Officer John W. Dineen of Cleary street is taking a vacation of a week from his duties in the police department, and a part of the time he expects to spend with acquaintances in Burlington.

James Dickie, a well known Corinth farmer, was in the city today to make his farewell to James Dickie, Jr., one of the recruits who left on the morning train for White River Junction.

Save an open date for the Universalist ladies' dance in Howland hall Thursday evening, Dec. 13. Concert precedes the dance, and the fare for both is \$1 per couple, or 35 cents for ladies.—adv.

Sadler, Keith avenue, baby carriage and go-cart runners. From wheels to sleigh in one second. A nice line of metal doll carriages. Our furniture, floor coverings, household and clothing departments particularly well stocked for us.

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White River Junction, the seat of an army recruiting station, was the mecca today and yesterday for many Barre youths, and when the 8:25 train pulled out of the Central Vermont yard this morning it carried nearly a dozen candidates for various branches of the service.

Lieut. Neale W. Hooker, who was active in recruiting work here Sunday, made arrangements for the transportation of the men. As a number of the recruits do not expect to return to Barre immediately if they succeeded in passing the final physical examinations, some of the theatrical scenes enacted when the two Barre companies left last summer were repeated today, when many relatives of the volunteers gathered to bid them farewell.

Three of the candidates for the 1st Vermont regiment decided to try for the quartermaster's department today.

### TALK OF THE TOWN

George R. Standish returned yesterday to his home in Windsor, after passing a few days with friends in the city.

Music furnished for all occasions by Montpelier M. band orchestra, Karl Forsell, manager, phone Montpelier 252-W.

Mrs. Eleanor Pollard of Brook street has returned to the city after spending a few days in Boston on business connected with the McCuen store.

Mrs. E. A. Magnus of Waterbury arrived in the city yesterday for a visit of a few days in the home of her mother, Mrs. M. B. Nichols of French street.

Harland H. Maxfield of Wendell place left the city last evening for White River Junction, having enlisted as a mechanic in the aviation department of the U. S. army.

Troup will make photographs of you that are real portraits and that will delight your friends this holiday season. Phone for an appointment to-day. The Troup Studio.

A regular meeting of lumpers, boxers and derriemen's branch, No. 50, will be held at the Eagles' hall Tuesday evening, Dec. 11, at 7:30 o'clock. Election of officers. Per order secretary.

Robert Mackie of Terrace avenue left yesterday for White River Junction, where he will spend a few days with friends. While absent Mr. Mackie expects to enlist in the aviation corps of the U. S. army.

Lyman Whitcomb, who has been enrolled in the law school of Tufts college in Boston, is passing a few days with his mother, Mrs. Harriet Whitcomb of seminary hill. Mr. Whitcomb has enlisted and expects to be called into the service within a few days.

Miss Rose Miller of Pawtucket, R. I., a national officer of the Macabees, who has been spending a few days in Barre while here on business connected with the local review of Macabees, has gone to New Hampshire to continue her inspection of local Macabee organizations.

Harold Potter of South Main street commenced his duties in the Central Vermont freight office this morning, succeeding Justin McCarthy, who has been promoted to the position of yard clerk, taking the place of Patrick Hale, who left this morning for White River Junction.

Mr. Hale expects to go to Albany, N. Y., where he will take the second examination in the U. S. aviation corps.

George Ross and Leo B. Parker, who have been employed as night bakers at the Holmes bakery on North Main street, completed their duties yesterday, and were among the men who left this morning for White River Junction.

Messrs. Ross and Parker, together with Arthur Shannon, who signed up for the 1st Vermont remount here Sunday, have decided to enter the quartermaster's department.

Frank H. Tupper, who began work for the Central Vermont railroad as a baggage master in the local station soon after his graduation from Goddard seminary, has resigned his position as assistant agent in the Union station at Burlington, having been called into active service with the depot company.

His company is stationed at Converse hall, state university, and Private Tupper has been ordered to report for duty to-morrow morning.

Plans for the publication of the first issue of the Spaulding school paper, which has been called the Sentinel, are being rapidly completed and the first number is expected to be issued in a few days. A temporary board of editors has been chosen to have charge of the first issue, while a permanent board for the remainder of the school year will be chosen after the Christmas recess.

The temporary board of editors is composed of Misses Madeline McDonald, Vivien Marston and Corinne Eastman and Hildreth Martin, Deane Davis, Frank Wells, John Gaul and Laurence Campbell, and under their direction pages devoted to alumni notes, athletic events and matters pertaining to school functions have been arranged.

On rural highways and crossways yesterday travelers experienced most trying conditions as the result of Sunday's snow and high wind. The roads on nearly every main artery leading from Barre were badly filled in places, and even the early appearance of the town road rollers did not restore easy travel at once.

In any number of neighborhoods farmers, finding the roads impassable, had recourse to the windswept fields. In the afternoon a traveler who had stopped in Barre for dinner, proposed to push his roadster through the snow to Roxbury and Northfield, where he was to make business calls, before proceeding to his home in Boston, there to dock the car for the winter.

Weatherwise acquaintances endeavored to dissuade him from the journey, but the traveler was well stocked with confidence and set out for Northfield in mid-afternoon.

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## Only 12 Shopping Days to Christmas

Next week will be a rush all of the week. Better do your shopping this week while you can have better attention and before the assortment has been picked over. If you want to use your Christmas savings you can select and have laid aside. You will find that this week's shopping will be very satisfactory.

### TOYS

Lots of Comic Toys.

Big line of Mechanical Toys. These come in all sorts of Carts, Automobiles, Dump Carts and Carts of all styles. Automobiles that crank and then run just like a big car.

Big lot of Work Carts and Wagons for the small children to drag about, to play around the house with.

Nine Pins for the boys, Hobby Horses, Skidoos and Sleds.

Rocking Horses, Sand Machines, are some of our best Christmas kinds. These in sizes from 50c to \$1.00 each. Larger people enjoy playing with these.

Iron Trains in two sizes. These for boys. They want them.

Small Flat Irons for the little girl, just like mother's. The handle comes off.

Dolls' Beds, a small lot of these at last season's prices.



Children's Christmas Department in our basement. Here you will find the largest lot of better kinds of Toys and Dolls, and such things as the following:

Linen and Paper Books for the small children, Games for those a little older, such Games as Wonderland, Playland Readers and new Sewing Sets.

Toy Pistols for 10c, Drums at 50c, Santa Claus Stockings, all ready to hang, Dolls' Dishes, different prices from 50c up, Dolls' Pianos and Kitchen Sets, Rubber Balls and Celluloid Toys for the small children.

Dancing and Boxing Toys, Dolls' Trunks and Dolls' Hammocks, Dolls' Carriages.

Telephones for the little folks that work all right.

### DOLLS

These are the Horsman Unbreakable Dolls, so much advertised as a Campbell Kid.

These Dolls all have natural faces and bodies built to look like real babies. They are the kind that children cry for.

These Dolls are built better in every way than imitations that other manufacturers have to sell, and the price in no case is any more.

We have sold 1,000 of these Dolls in one season. We are the only store in this part of Vermont that handles a full line of these Dolls.

Small sizes of these Dolls sell at 50c and from that up to \$7.98 each. The better ones have real glass eyes.

The popular prices are those that sell at 75c and \$1.39 each.

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These Dolls will appeal to you as being far better than ordinary Dolls at the same price.

MECCANO CONSTRUCTION PARTS for the boys are the original and best building parts on the market. We have a full line of these parts, bought last season, that you may have now at one-quarter less than regular price. We haven't the room to carry these goods, so will close them out. You can always match these Sets for more as you want them. These are the original and standard Building Sets. Nothing else quite as good. Now at 75c on the dollar.

## The Daylight Store

### TALK OF THE TOWN

Christmas neckwear at Abbott's. Meccano building sets at a discount at Abbott's.

Old silver and gold wanted. Highest price paid. F. E. Burr.

Ralph P. Shaw of Bethel called on friends in Barre yesterday and to-day. Thirty people! Good comedy. Thirty people! To-morrow night at Howland hall.—adv.

Why not attend the comedy at Howland hall to-morrow night? Admission, 25c. Benefit Episcopal choir.—adv.

Regular meeting of Ruth chapter, No. 33, O. E. S., Wednesday evening, Dec. 12, at 7:30 o'clock. There will be work.

The annual business meeting of the ladies' union of the Universalist church will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 in the church vestry.

The ladies' and pastor's union of the Methodist church will hold its monthly business meeting with Mrs. John Trow, Washington street, Thursday afternoon at 2:30.

At the meeting of the Barre Woman's club this afternoon a set of "House Beautiful" lantern slides was presented under direction of The House Beautiful Publishing company of Boston.

Lieut. Max C. Fisher and Mrs. Fisher, who were married in the city Thursday evening, have returned from a stay of ten days in New York. Lieut. Fisher expects to leave for France early in January.

One of the eighth grades of our public schools have taken it upon themselves to knit 20 pairs of wristlets, several bandages, sponges and three sweaters. Next they wish to make an afghan, and they will be very grateful to any ladies of the community who will contribute bits of woolen yarn or colored worsted. They may be left at the room over the Red Cross headquarters at the Spaulding building.

Among the guests arriving at Hotel Barre last night and this morning were the following people: George W. Lockwood of Stamford, Conn.; J. G. Thompson of Burlington; F. D. Cox of Albany; C. W. Bushey of Woodsville, N. H.; R. J. Lord of St. Johnsbury; Allan J. Horton of Providence, R. I.; J. Gamble of Newark, N. J.; J. H. Hines of Lancaster, Pa.; P. F. Giffin of Springfield, John J. Kittredge of Worcester, Mass.; John J. Walsh of Quincy, Mass.; W. S. Willard of Concord, N. H.; H. C. Roberts of Brookline, Mass.

### TALK OF THE TOWN

Christmas gloves at Abbott's. Thirteen children in comedy Wednesday night, Howland hall.—adv.

A dozen photographs make 12 splendid holiday gifts and the expense is really very little. We can still make them in time, if you act promptly. The Troup Studio.

Harold J. Morse and Carroll Ordway, recent employees of the Oldsmobile agency of Vermont in this city, who recently enlisted at White River Junction, leave the city this evening for Fort Slocom, N. Y., where they are to remain for a few days while awaiting orders to proceed to Texas.

Messrs. Morse and Ordway have enlisted in the signal corps and mechanical department of the aviation section.

Sunday movies for the Red Cross are to be projected in Barre, as the result of arrangements made by a committee of workers, and the first exhibition of film plays in behalf of this worthy cause will be in the opera house Sunday afternoon and evening. The free use of the theatre has been secured and it is planned to give shows in the afternoon and one in the evening, the latter to be so timed as to permit churchgoers to attend after services. Practically everyone concerned in the arrangement is giving his or her services gratis, and the proceeds are to be devoted wholly to the Red Cross. Manager Otto Marianna of the Bijou theatre is to have charge of the machine booth.

Fire losses on the property of John Magoon at 88 South Main street may approximate \$500, according to the estimate of the firemen, who did not finish their work in the ell part of the building until nearly 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Mr. Magoon is protected to the extent of \$1,200 by a policy carried in the home office of the Granite Mutual Fire Insurance Co. The fire was confined almost wholly to the ell, although it had gained considerable headway before the firemen arrived and it was found necessary to use water and axes freely. The ell was unoccupied and the rooms in the main building are tenanted by Mr. Magoon and Joseph Goodrich, who find that their effects were damaged only slightly by smoke.

### EAST BARRE.

Winona council will hold its regular meeting Wednesday evening this week. Nomination of officers. All members take notice.

### TALK OF THE TOWN

Visit Abbott's bargain basement. Thirteen children in comedy Wednesday night, Howland hall.—adv.

Save your cash register slips and bring them in for cash. N. D. Phelps Co.

William K. Taylor went to Burlington yesterday to apply for enlistment in the navy.

Thirty people! Good comedy. Thirty people! To-morrow night at Howland hall.—adv.

W. H. Buchanan has returned home, after spending several days with relatives in Randolph and vicinity.

Shriners of Mount Sinai temple are preparing for one of their occasional ceremonials. It will be held in Montpelier Friday evening.

Susan's band, a comedy, at Howland hall, Thursday evening, Dec. 13; concert and dance, \$1 per couple, ladies, 35c; concert at 8 o'clock sharp.—adv.

News is received here that Edward Doherty, formerly of St. Albans, has been advanced to the rank of corporal at Camp Greene, Charlotte, N. C. Corp. Doherty is a son of Mrs. Katherine Doherty of St. Albans, and a nephew of Miss Margaret Doherty, a teacher in the city schools.

Mrs. Frank Carr of Northfield passed through the city this forenoon while on her way to Graniteville to attend the funeral of Mrs. E. J. Evans, whose death Sunday afternoon followed a shock suffered three weeks previous. Funeral services were held in the Graniteville Presbyterian church this afternoon at 2 o'clock, and interment was made in Wilson cemetery.

A graduate of the D. F. Davis pharmacy, formerly in the Morse block, figured in an important business transaction in Montpelier recently, when Lionel J. Mathieson purchased the drug store of the late George E. Magrath. Mr. Mathieson learned the pharmacy business under Mr. Davis and passed the state board examination while in his employ. When the Davis store was closed here, he went to Barton, where he was employed for a time before going to Montpelier, where he entered the employ of Mr. Magrath. Since the death of the proprietor several months ago, Mr. Mathieson has been acting manager of the establishment.

### TALK OF THE TOWN

"The Swallow," by Miss Young at Howland hall Thursday evening, Dec. 13; concert and dance.—adv.

Why not attend the comedy at Howland hall to-morrow night? Admission, 25c. Benefit Episcopal choir.—adv.

Your friends can buy anything you can give them, except your photograph—that's why they would appreciate your picture more than any other holiday gift. Make the appointment to-day at the Troup Studio.

The ladies' union of the Universalist church will hold a concert and dance in Howland hall Thursday evening, Dec. 13. Concert starts promptly at 8 o'clock. Admission, \$1 per couple; ladies, 35c. Carroll's singing orchestra.—adv.

A detailed statement of expenditures and the amount of material used in the construction of the new paved highway on South Main street is to be submitted to the board of aldermen at its regular meeting to-night by City Engineer Frank O. Lee. The statement covers every phase of the work, from the excavation to the laying of the last paving block and the construction of a cement sidewalk on the westerly side of the thoroughfare. Three contracts, which include those of J. C. DeBrune, G. L. Gregoire, and the Barre Paving & Contracting Co., are reviewed in the report of the engineer, one of the salient features of which is the information that the total cost will not exceed the sum for which the people voted to bond in the summer of 1916.

### MARSHFIELD

A farmers' meeting is called for Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock in K. of P. hall, Marshfield village, to take up the matter of co-operative purchase of seeds and fertilizers through the farmers' exchange. The prices will interest you. The county agent will be present to explain about the exchange.

### WEBSTERVILLE.

Entertainment at Episcopal church, Websterville, Friday night at 7:30. Fine music, also good comedy. Admission, 25c. Cake and coffee free.—adv.

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Turk's Island Salt, per bag ..... \$1.25  
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Oleomargarine, per lb. .... 30c and 35c  
Sweet Apples and Quince.  
Sultana Raisins in bulk, per lb. .... 18c  
Whole Hams, per lb. .... 30c  
Sliced Ham, per lb. .... 33c  
Sliced Ham, best slices, per lb. .... 43c  
Sliced Bacon, per lb. .... 42c

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Pound cans Fancy Red Alaska Salmon ..... 25c  
Red Lily Brand Pound Flat Salmon, special ..... 28c  
Cutlet Salmon, oval cans, 40c value ..... 33c

### Canned Peas

We have an overstock of Fancy Canned Peas. To reduce this surplus, we shall sell Angelus Brand Telephone Peas, regular price, 18c, now 15c, six cans for ..... 85c

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